

LABOR LEADERS SEE GEN. FUNSTON

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Goldfield, Nev., Dec. 15.—Today a delegation from the American Federation of Labor called upon Gen. Funston, who is continuing his investigation of conditions here, with a view of determining the necessity for the presence of federal troops in Goldfield.

"These gentlemen made the most remarkable statement I have yet heard," said Gen. Funston, in an interview with the representative of the Associated Press tonight. "These statements are that for months they have lived in constant fear. They have considered it necessary for their self-protection to go armed at all times and have been compelled to avoid personal contact with members of the Western Federation of Miners in order to prevent serious trouble. This condition of affairs, they have told me, obtained until the arrival of the United States troops, since when the conditions have been greatly changed."

Gen. Funston stated that he considered that this statement of the conditions came from men who have been in a better position to know the real situation than many others who have talked to him since his arrival.

In view of the facts gleaned today, Gen. Funston said that there is little possibility of the troops leaving within 10 days, and on his recommendation at least half of the number now here will be retained by the Washington authorities.

Gen. Funston will not leave Goldfield before Tuesday, and may stay longer.

Gov. Sparks today sent a long communication to Washington stating in detail his position in relation to the troops and making correction of some misconceptions in the original call for troops. Information in regard to the coming of trains bearing strikebreakers cannot be obtained.

Members of the commission sent by President Roosevelt arrived tonight at 8 o'clock over the Salt Lake Route. They are Charles P. Neill, labor commissioner; Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations; and Lacey Murray, assistant secretary of the department of commerce and labor. They are accompanied by F. X. Patterson as secretary.

Speaking for the commission tonight, Mr. Neill said that the commission would go at once into the labor conditions here which have led to the presence of federal troops. The merits of the controversy between the mine workers and the American Federation of Labor will be exhaustively investigated, and the whole matter embodied in reports to be made to the war department and to President Roosevelt.

As to the length of the stay of the commission in Goldfield, Mr. Neill could form no opinion at this time and could not say when the first portion of the report would be sent to Washington. Gen. Funston is tonight preparing a report to be sent to Washington based on the revelations made to him today by the delegation from the American Federation of Labor.

KERWIN IS SURPRISED.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 15.—When Acting Secy. Kerwin of the Western Federation of Miners was told of the interview with Gen. Funston at Goldfield, in which he stated that members of the American Federation of Labor had indicated that they were in constant fear of the members of the Western Federation of Miners for months previous to the arrival of the troops at Goldfield, he professed to be amazed. He said:

"I cannot account for the statements attributed to the American Federation of Labor members in Goldfield. I know that this is not the sentiment of the high officials of the organization, with whom we are in perfect harmony. It must be simply the feeling of individual members of the American Federation of Labor here for certain of our members in Goldfield, and nothing else. I have understood ever since the strike was declared in Goldfield by our organization that we had the endorsement of practically all the American Federation men in that camp. We have been and are now giving moral support to the Montana members of the sister union who are fighting the Bell Telephone company there, and we have levelled that we were receiving the same

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support in our fight in Goldfield. I can-
not but believe that the feeling attrib-
uted to the American Federation
against our organization in Goldfield
is personal, and that upon the part of
only a few who perhaps have had per-
sonal differences with some of our
men."

"A WINTER MORNING."

J. Otis Adams Awarded Chicago Fine
Arts Building Prize.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The \$500 Fine Arts
building prize which is given annually
to the winner of a competition held by
the Society of Western Artists was
awarded last night to J. Otis Adams
of Brookville, Ind., for a picture en-
titled, "A Winter Morning."

WHITE NOT ARRESTED.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 14.—R. T. Conlon,
a mining man who arrived here last
night, denies the truth of a telegram
telling of the arrest of Paymaster
White of Greene's mines for shooting
three Mexicans. He said that White
was only a witness to the killing and
that he had been held pending the in-
vestigation by the authorities.

AN INFAMOUS LAW.

One That Sends Man Up for Life on
Fourth Conviction, Says Judge.

New York, Dec. 14.—Charles Cory,
who pleaded guilty of burglary, may
escape a life sentence in the state
prison because Judge Rosalesky de-
clares unfair the law which makes
sentence for life obligatory in the
case of a fourth conviction for felony.
Cory, who turned state's evidence and

testified against two confederates, ad-
mitted when called before the court
for sentence, that he had served three
terms in prison for burglary. The law
is mandatory in directing that under
such circumstances, a life sentence
must be inflicted. Judge Rosalesky
said the law was infamous and de-
clared to pass a life sentence, saying
that it would be necessary to such a
case to specify in the indictment that
a man was charged with a fourth of-
fense under the law. Cory was re-
minded to the Tombs until the judge
can find some way to escape from
pronouncing the extreme sentence.

J. M. DURAND'S WILL.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The will of John
M. Durand, retired wholesale grocer,
who died at Pasadena, Cal., on Nov.
14, was filed for probate yesterday. The
estate is valued at \$1,300,000.
The will gives the widow one-third of
the personal property and one-third of
the income in his real estate. The re-
mainder is to be divided into three
equal shares for the sons, Charles and
John M. Durand, and the daughter,
Mrs. Ellen Frances Kennett.

BABIES ON FIRE

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KICKAPOOS ROBBED

OF TITLE TO THEIR LANDS

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senators Tel-
ler, Curtis and La Follette, composing
the committee which was authorized to
investigate the affairs of the Kickapoo
Indians, will soon submit to the sen-
ate a report giving the names of sev-
eral persons who are alleged to have
dealt fraudulently with the Kickapoo
Indians who emigrated to Mexico and who
disposed of their lands at Shawnee, Okla.

The report mentions a clique known as
the "Chapman-Grimes-Connie people,"
and says that their conduct in securing
the valuable lands owned by the Mexi-
can Kickapoo Indians was criminal and
fraudulent in the extreme. It is recom-
mended that a special attorney shall
be appointed, who shall act under the
direction of the department of justice
in entering suits to set aside all deeds
to Kickapoo lands.

The alleged criminal acts of the men
mentioned in the report appear to be
very hard to deal with, in the opinion
of the committee, for the reason that
most of them were committed in Mex-
ico. Concerning the doings of the
Chapman-Grimes-Connie people, the
report says:

"Outrages were shamelessly perpetr-
ated by them, and their conduct has
never been equalled in the history of
any dealings to secure lands from the
American Indians. The names of the
Indians were willfully and deliberately
forged to the deeds, claimed to have
been taken in Mexico. Two or three
instances are sufficient to show to what
extremes they went. They had all the
leading members of the tribe or head-
men of the tribe arrested and thrown
into jail."

"They then took a large number of
Indians by force and under guard of
police to the Guadalupe house in
Mexico, where they urged the Indians
to sell their lands, which the Indians
declined to do, telling them invariably
that they did not desire to sell their
lands, and under circumstances
would they sign any papers; yet these
people claim to have deeds executed at
the Guadalupe house by the Indians.

The Indians all say that they did not
sign, and the Indian interpreters used
upon the different occasions each say
that the Indians did not sign their
names, touch the pen, or authorize any
one to sign their names or touch the
pen for them."

The committee will request that it be
continued in existence until such time
as its members shall consider that the
grievances of the Kickapoo in ques-
tion are receiving proper attention.

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BLOW TO TOTAL ABSTINENCE.

Munich, Dec. 15.—A rather severe, be-
cause unexpected, blow at the advoca-
tes of total abstinence from alcoholic
beverages, has been struck by the Ba-
varian war ministry, which has issued a
report showing that in independent
rifle shooting soldiers become better
marksmen after imbibing a small
quantity of alcohol than before. Experi-
ments involving the discharge of 10,000
shots have been carried out at the
ranges of the Augsburg school of mus-
ketry. Throughout the experiments
men who had been served with a
draught of spirituous liquor displayed
more steadiness and accuracy of aim,
while firing singly, than did those
belonging to the squad which had been
kept without it. In field and volley
firing, however, the sections which had
been abstemious attained slightly bet-
ter results than their stimulated com-
rades. The tests are being continued
and as the men are placed for one
week in the territorial and the next week
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